



MISS COVERT
Louise Hellens



MISS NILES
Mary Foster

NEW ROYALTY: Crowned last night as queens of their communities were Louise Hellens, Miss Covert, and Mary Foster, Miss Niles. Stories on page 20. Community queen contests will wind up Monday with the selection of Miss Sodus. Nine queens will be crowned tonight in contests at Bangor,

Berrien Springs, Cassopolis, Decatur, Edwardsburg, Galien, Lawton, South Haven and Stevensville. A total of 28 queens will next compete for Miss Blossomtime in a pageant at Benton Harbor on April 19. (Staff photos)

Fighting Will Resume If Peace Plan Ignored--Sadat

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
President Anwar Sadat of Egypt warned today that fighting will be resumed along the Suez Canal by the end of this month unless Israel responds to his latest peace proposal, the semi-official Cairo newspaper Al-Ahram reported.

It quoted Sadat as saying April "is the month which shall decide between a solution and war" and reported he wants all parties, including the United States and the United Nations, to "define within this month their position in practical and precise terms."

The report came barely a day after Sadat offered a new version of his Feb. 4 proposal to reopen the Suez Canal if Israel made a partial withdrawal from the Sinai Peninsula. Sadat also said Egypt would agree to renew the suspended cease-fire if Israel accepted his terms.

Israel reaction to the proposal was divided. One government minister characterized it as absurd while another said it merited discussion.

NEW ELEMENT

A new element in Sadat's proposal called for Egyptian troops to take up positions on the east clearance work on the Canal after the Israeli pullback. Egypt also offered for the first time to accept "practical arrangements

for separating hostile forces" during this period.

Al-Ahram described Sadat's statement Thursday in which he made the new proposal as "the beginning of the end."

The newspaper asserted that

Legion Post In Buchanan Urges Pardon

BUCHANAN — Ralph Rumbaugh Post No. 51 of the American Legion here has passed a resolution in support of Lt. William Calley.

The resolution is directed to President Nixon and reads in part, "The American Legion Post 51 of Buchanan strongly opposes the decision of the jury in the case of Lt. Calley, and we urgently request you, the President, to intercede in the matter and grant Lt. Calley a full pardon."

The resolution was sent to the President by the post's executive committee, following a Thursday night meeting, on behalf of their 520 members.

Post Commander Charles Irwin said members of Congress will also be contacted.

the Sadat initiative had no direct connection with a message Sadat received from President Nixon a few hours before his announcement. The Egyptian statement was prepared days ago as "a clear and categorical definition" of Egypt's final stand, the paper said.

"All international parties must now define their position in this decisive stage—including the United Nations, the Security Council and each of the big powers—in clear terms without any attempt to cover up by elusive diplomatic phrases," Al-Ahram declared.

Al-Ahram said Sadat links his partial withdrawal proposal directly with the Security Council resolution of Nov. 22, 1967, and U.N. mediator Gunnar V. Jarring's plan of Feb. 8 this year outlining procedures for an Israeli-Egyptian settlement.

ASKS PULLBACK

The resolution called for recognition of Israeli sovereignty within secure borders and a withdrawal of Israeli forces from occupied Arab lands. Jarring's proposals also called for a pullback by Israel.

Information Minister Israel Galili, a close associate of Premier Golda Meir, indicated in a radio interview in Tel Aviv that Israel would reject Sadat's proposal.

But Deputy Premier Yigal Allon told a meeting of journalists in Tel Aviv that his government should be ready to discuss a partial treaty for the canal.

Israel's Foreign Ministry said Israel was ready to hold "serious discussions" on the canal, as well as on other issues linked to the deadlocked Israeli-Arab negotiations in New York under Jarring.

NO PRESSURE

Washington officials said the United States was expected to advise Israel not to reject Egypt's proposals out of hand, but that no pressure would be brought to bear.

The Egyptian offer is regarded in Washington as a possible means to end the Middle East stalemate and bring both sides back to the negotiations through Jarring.

However, U.N. diplomatic sources said Israel would want the United States rather than Jarring to act as intermediary in any talks about reopening the canal. They expected the Israeli cabinet at its Sunday meeting would decide its stand on these negotiations.

NEW FLEXIBILITY

The Egyptian proposal, while offering new flexibility on a number of points, was accompanied by a number of demands.

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Two Draft Boards Quit Over Calley Conviction

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Members of at least two Michigan local draft boards have resigned in protest over the conviction and sentencing to life imprisonment of Army Lt. William Calley for the murder of Vietnamese civilians at My Lai in 1968.

All five members of the Huron County board, Local No. 33, sent their resignations Thursday to Col. Arthur Holmes, State Selective Service director, while four of the five members of Clinton County's board also resigned.

Clinton County board chairman Fred M. Lewis, the only Clinton member who did not resign, said he stayed on although he thought the Calley verdict was "not a fair deal."

"I think instead of picking on

one, they ought to have got a bunch together," he said. Huron County board member James E. Briggs, explaining his resignation, said: "Why should I place my name on an order of induction for a man who might have to face trial for carrying out an order of his superior officer?"

Public outpourings of support for Lt. William L. Calley Jr. have continued but the Army and Chief of Staff Gen. William C. Westmoreland have defended the prosecution and conviction of the soldier for his role in the My Lai massacre of 1968.

Alabama Gov. George C. Wallace met with Calley at Ft. Ben-

ning, Ga., and later attended a rally with Georgia Lt. Gov. Lester Maddox at nearby Columbus. Wallace said he believes "President Nixon is going to do the right thing and ... grant clemency Lt. Calley."

Calley, convicted of murdering 22 civilians and sentenced to life imprisonment, was not permitted to join the 3,000 people at the rally. He remained under guard in his Ft. Benning apartment.

He was released from the post stockade Thursday night following an order from President Nixon that the soldier be freed pending appeal of his conviction.

In New York, the American Civil Liberties Union issued a statement supporting the release, saying it was based on the "entirely sound principle that a man should not be punished while his case is being reviewed."

Former U.S. Atty. Gen. Ramsey Clark urged Nixon to act with caution concerning Calley and not to grant executive clemency because of the "emotion of the moment."

Clark referred to the continuing torrent of petitions, telegrams, letters, telephone calls, notices of resignations from draft boards and other demonstrations in support of Calley. The public reaction began Monday, immediately after the guilty verdict was announced, and swelled throughout the week.

Communications received at the Western White House in San Clemente, Calif., were reportedly running 100 to 1 in favor of clemency for Calley. Under the Constitution, the President may pardon anyone convicted of a federal offense other than civil contempt.

Ohio Gov. John Gilligan said "the guilt assigned by the court must be shared — by his superiors, by members of Congress, by the administration and, in truth, by all of us who have tolerated the continuation of this awful war."

Westmoreland, however, told a news conference in Houston, Tex. "I feel no guilt, not in the least. It is an absurd allegation."

The Army chief of staff, who commanded U.S. troops in Vietnam at the time of the massacre, said, "it was clearly known by our troops in Vietnam that they were to avoid civilian casualties at all costs."

"My orders were that: all atrocities would be reported and investigated according to the rules of the Geneva Convention, and it is our obligation to follow

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Marine Freed From Prison

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Marine Pvt. Michael Schwarz, who a year ago faced a life sentence for murdering 12 Vietnamese civilians, says he'd like to stay in the Marine Corps, "if they'll let me," and would gladly go back to Vietnam.

Schwarz was released Friday from the Portsmouth, N.H., naval prison where he completed a sentence reduced to one year by military reviewing authorities.

The 21-year-old Marine was met here by his wife and 4-year-old son and the two Pittsburgh attorneys who have fought for his release since shortly after his trial.

Schwarz said he carried out a "combat command" in the slayings he was accused of as opposed to an order, "and that's something you just don't refuse to do."

He said he feels he's still valuable in Vietnam as a combat Marine.

"I wouldn't be any good state-side."

Schwarz, whose home address is Weirton, W.Va., but who lives on a farm in southwestern Pennsylvania, was convicted of premeditated murder of the civilians during a combat patrol in the Viet Cong-infested village of Sow Thang near Da Nang. He was sentenced to life in prison.

The sentence was reduced last December to a year at hard labor, loss of pay and allowances and a dishonorable discharge. His release from Portsmouth, where served as a cook, came 77 days early "for good behavior."

"I'm just going to take it easy for a while," he said. "I don't have any real plans yet."

Half Million Spent On Foreign Travel

WASHINGTON (AP) — House committees spent more than a half-million dollars of appropriated money and U.S.-owned foreign currencies in international travel last year, mostly in the Far East.

The foreign Affairs Committee spent the most, \$81,700, while the Committee on House Administration spent least, \$285.



NO LAUGHING MATTER: Dr. William A. Fry, Jr., (left), Stanford university research scientist says laughing might be hazardous to your health, especially if you are susceptible to heart and respiratory troubles. He says he is also convinced, after spending time in a cage with three young chimps, that they "have a sense of humor and do laugh in a very human fashion. (AP Wirephoto)



They drove out the two defending companies of South Vietnamese infantry and artillerymen, who later linked up with reinforcements and deployed for a counter-attack.

NO RESISTANCE

The South Vietnamese reoccupied the base late Thursday without resistance after the North Vietnamese had pulled out. The Hanoi force returned to the attack at noon Friday, Hien reported, and six hours of intensive fighting ensued. By this

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HOME COMING HUG—Marine Pvt. Michael Schwarz is hugged by his son shortly after his arrival in Pittsburgh Friday night. Schwarz, was freed from the Portsmouth, N. H. Naval Prison, less than a year after being sentenced to a life term for the premeditated murder of 12 Vietnamese civilians. The term was later reduced to one year. (AP Wirephoto)

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Editorial Page

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Setback For Education

The Michigan Supreme Court's decision to mothball parochial aid is a dispassionate exercise in legal logic.

It is one the Court could not escape except by distorting the import in clearly stated language.

It is also one, very likely, which the Court secretly wished it did not have to reach because its effect has every chance of working out to a poor result.

In two separate opinions, the Court upheld the anti-parochial amendment to the state constitution which the public adopted by a 1.4 million to 1.06 million vote in the 1970 general election.

By one ballot of 5-2 the Court declared the amendment bars the spending of public money for direct assistance to parochial and private schools in the K-12 range. The amendment does not ban auxiliary services, the Court ruled, if this aid is under the public system's control. Nor does it subject parochial school property to public taxation.

The opinion means that the legislature can not allocate funds to underwrite the Three Rs, but may continue to supply police and fire protection, busing, school nurses, driver education, visiting teachers for the handicapped, etc.

An accompanying opinion, on a 4-3 vote, sustained the November election results. The petitions circulated on behalf of the amendment were worded improperly. The majority opinion acknowledged the error, but said that inasmuch as the public understood what a Yes or No vote meant this is not the time to conduct a post mortem on draftsmanship.

The minority's heated dissent

Learning Consumerism First Hand

When a group of five industrial executives is enrolled in a six-week sewing class to learn how to make shifts for their wives, it is nothing to do with the business climate or a sudden interest in home economics. The class was offered to male executives in the fabric industry to give them a better appreciation of the problems encountered by housewives.

That is a concept in customer understanding which could be used with benefit in other industries. The layers of insulation between customer and top executive in a modern corporation tend to be thick and effective.

Automobile dealers frequently send their mechanics to factory schools to learn the intricacies of the latest models. Occasionally these men return to their shops shaking their heads at the stupidity of a designer who placed the widget in an inaccessible place beneath the whoosit. It might be of benefit to the designers and the company's customers to spend some time in the repair shops looking at their handiwork from another point of view.

The list is endless. If at first glance it appears ridiculous to send a high salaried executive to sewing school, that would turn out to be one of the wisest investments for a company which wants to keep its products and services customer oriented.

Elephants are used in place of railroad switch engines at a cement plant in India, National Geographic says. One animal can push three loaded freight cars and throw track switches with its trunk.

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is the better law, as the attorneys would phrase it, but nonetheless the majority view has to be accepted.

Although the Court salvaged auxiliary services from the amendment's sweeping language, there remains the real question of meeting the largest expense item in any school budget, teaching the Three Rs.

Over the years the financing of Michigan's elementary and secondary education system has adjusted to the public schools carrying the major share of the obligation and the parochial group the minor portion. Current statistics on this division of support are in flux because of some shutdowns among parochial units, but as of two or three years ago the ratio was something like 6-1. This statewide average is subject to local variation because of denominational population variances from one community to another.

The growing financial squeeze against the private school threatens to weaken this financial adjustment and was the reason for advocating parochial aid in the first place.

From a purely selfish standpoint, the taxpayer, whatever his religious or personal feelings may be, is better off to lend some minimal support to the parochial system than to absorb a massive assault upon his pocketbook should the public system have to fill the void created by a collapse in the parochial field.

While there is some speculation that the Court's decision could be watered down by federal court rulings on parochial aid coming up from other sections of the country, we would bet against this outside chance.

The disputes from other areas do not revolve around the unique situation in Michigan where the state constitution itself explicitly states that public money can be spent only in the public schools. Foolhardy as it may be to speculate on which way the U.S. Supreme Court may lean in a given case, we doubt that the Washington tribunal would tamper with the Lansing declaration.

This leaves the tough job of cancelling the anti-parochial amendment by the same means it was installed, namely, go to the public on a plea to reconsider at the ballot box that which should not have been approved just fall.

Hopefully, the parochial system can weather the storm, but it is sailing in a leaky boat. Considering the public system's demonstrated inability to manage its affairs in their present dimension, it would require specially tinted rose colored glasses to think it could take on further responsibility.

Elusive Trapping

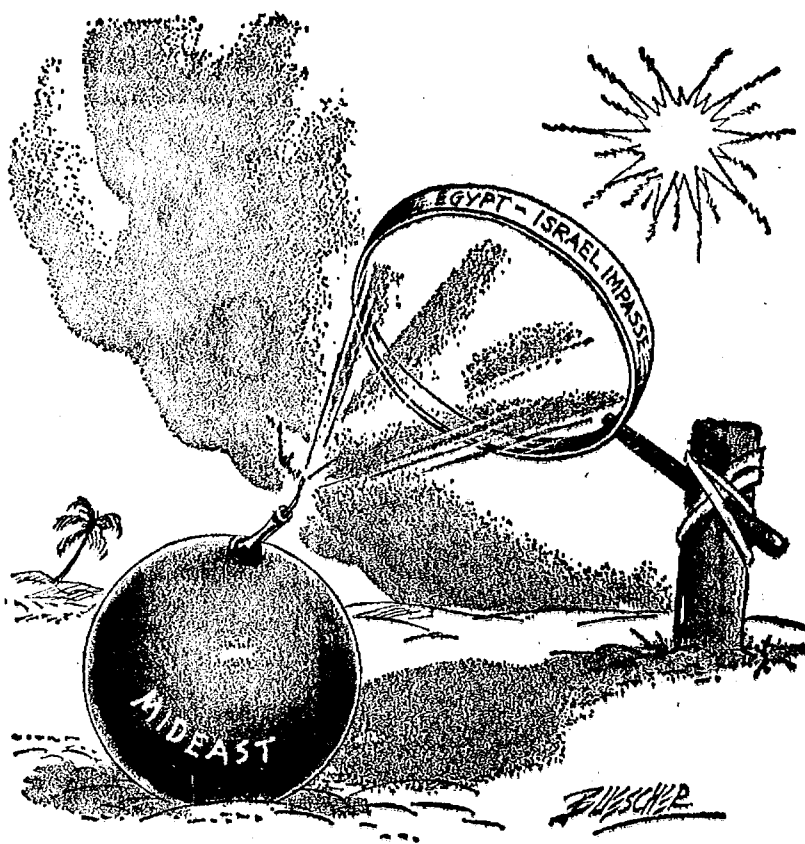
The International Association of Police Chiefs has kept records on bombings in the United States only since July of last year, but already that list has passed the 800 mark. It should be noted that the incidents on the list are actual bombings, not threats or attempts.

Not all the bombings, fortunately, have been successful. Some have fizzled out with little or no damage. But also on the list are many like the destruction last Aug. 24 of the University of Wisconsin's Army Mathematics Research Center, at a cost of one fatality and \$7 million in property damage. Also on the list is the \$300,000 bombing of the U. S. Capitol.

Whether one subscribes to the conspiracy theory behind any or all of these bombings at this point is academic, because few of the perpetrators have been brought before the bar of justice. Like plane hijackings, which fortunately appear to be diminishing, bombings hold a high potential for a major disaster in human lives. Some lives have been lost.

With due respect for the nation's police organizations, all of which have their hands full on many fronts these days, something better is needed in the way of detection, apprehension and conviction of bombers. Difficult though investigations of such incidents are, they are not impossible, although the apprehension rate thus far might indicate that to be the case.

Smoldering



GLANCING BACKWARDS

\$3.5 MILLION PROPOSED

—1 Year Ago—

Plans have been drawn for a new Bridgman high school, and district officials now are awaiting a decision by voters who will ballot on a \$3.5 million

bonding proposition to finance the school.

Planned is a 109,000 square foot high school with 26 teaching stations, an auditorium and a gymnasium. It would accommodate between 475 and 550 students in grades nine through twelve.

DR. COLEMAN

..And Speaking Of Your Health

I must confess that I become confused when I hear daily radio and television announcements that air pollution experts consider Monday's air "unacceptable," Tuesday's air "unhealthy," Wednesday's air "unsatisfactory," etc.

Whenever I hear these critical "scientific" announcements, I hardly know what to do. My first temptation is to stop breathing, but that lasts only before I am compelled to accept the "unacceptable."

My confusion is great because I wonder why so much effort is being made to classify pollution when most of that effort should be devoted to controlling it.

Let's not hold our breath until the pollution experts get down to the real business of stopping the filth that pours from smokestacks and automobiles directly into our lungs where it does not belong.

In a recent report, the National Institutes of Health lists a group of diseases for which vaccines are now being prepared. A successful vaccine will soon be available for a specific

type of meningitis, an infection of the lining of the brain and spinal cord.

There is now renewed interest in the possibility of a vaccine against some types of pneumonia. Rabies, too, is being attacked in an effort to prevent its occurrence even when a person is bitten by a rabid dog.

One of the most significant vaccines in preparation is being tested against streptococcal infections. If such a vaccine were developed, it would prevent many of the dreaded complications of "strep" throat, such as kidney disease and rheumatic fever.

Basic research in these areas is aimed at prevention, the ideal goal of scientific research.

A disposable instrument for clearing the blood of toxic byproducts has been created by a team of research workers at the Eastman Kodak Company. This dialyzer will cost about \$25. It will be available in people whose kidneys do not function sufficiently well to clear the blood of impurities.

Dr. Coleman welcomes letters from readers, and, while he cannot undertake to answer each one, he will use questions in his column whenever possible and when they are of general interest. Address your letters to Dr. Coleman in care of this newspaper.

HENRY CATHCART

Inside Washington

WASHINGTON — "There is some risk attached to our 1972 Defense Budget for it continues the downward trend in Defense Department purchasing power at a time when the threats we face around the world continue to increase, not diminish."

With those words Secretary of Defense Melvin Laird presented Congress with a document called, "Defense Report on President Nixon's Strategy for Peace — Toward a National Security Strategy of Realistic Deterrence."

Quipped Rep. Otis Pike, D-N.Y., "If Robert McNamara had said that six years ago, Melvin Laird would have called for the men in white jackets to tie him up."

At the same time Laird was presenting the new budget request to Congress, Admiral Thomas Moorer, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, was telling a congressional committee, "our lead (over the Soviet Union) has now all but vanished."

And within the next five or six years we could actually find ourselves in a position of overall strategic inferiority, certainly as far as numbers of offensive delivery vehicles and megatons, and air defense systems are concerned.

Outlining this grim situation, Moorer candidly explained how

the U.S. has fallen behind the Soviet Union in total numbers of operational ICBM launchers.

He went on to detail how the Russians "now far exceed us in the number of air defense radar sites, command and control facilities, SAM launchers and interceptor aircraft."

Why, then, does a Republican administration, whose defense specialists have long been identified with support for a strong national defense, propose to do little to combat growing Soviet defense superiority?

That is the question being asked by many in Washington, and the answer in large measure is simple politics.

As was the case in the decade before World War II, huge spending for national defense is not too popular here today.

What with numerous reports of cost overruns on Pentagon projects and the existence of a highly unpopular war, liberal critics of defense spending have been able to gather some support of cutting lumps of 10 percent or the like from the Defense Department budget.

Factographs

The Peloponnesus is the southern peninsula of Greece.

Boston has been called the "Hub of the Universe."

LINCOLN VOTERS RE-ELECT BARTZ

—10 Years Ago—

Lincoln township's supervisor for 20 years, Republican Alfred R. Bartz, won still another term yesterday as he turned back Democrat Raymond Mak 492 to 233.

A 59-year-old fruit farmer, Bartz is past chairman of the county board of supervisors and vice chairman of the powerful Finance committee. He is a director and past president of the Michigan State Supervisors Assn.

URGENT ST. JOE BE ON AIR MAIL

—30 Years Ago—

St. Joseph business and civic leaders have strongly requested the Mercury Development Corporation of Indianapolis, Ind., to include St. Joseph in the daily air mail and express service route it proposes to inaugurate shortly between Indianapolis and Grand Rapids, by way of South Bend.

Officials of the company have been here the past few days conferring with St. Joseph industrial and business men and chamber of commerce and public officials.

HOME FOR EASTER

—30 Years Ago—

Miss Kathryn Ludlow, student at Northwestern University, home from Evanston, Ill., to spend the Easter holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Ludlow, of Niles avenue.

BACK TO WORK

—30 Years Ago—

W. J. Froberg has resumed his duties with the Saranac Machine company after an illness of about a month kept him confined to his home in the Bradford apartments.

GONE VISITING

—30 Years Ago—

Kenneth Gustafson has gone to Chicago to spend a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gustafson.

TO GET CLOCK

—30 Years Ago—

Material for a steeple for the St. Joseph Catholic church has arrived. A clock which will strike the hour and ring the Angelus automatically will be placed on the steeple when completed.

INSIDE RELIGION

'Superstar' Record Moving And Serious

The record's title itself seems something of a grotesque grabber: "Jesus Christ, Superstar". And if this sobriquet does not appear sufficiently blasphemous, consider the format: The Passion of Jesus Christ — in rock and roll.

This initial reaction, plus the timid plausibility of some commercial electronic media, apparently motivated the Italian broadcasting company, RIA, to judge this recording as "too irreverent in tone."

But it was subsequently played on Vatican Radio — just as it is being played in churches throughout the U.S.

It is not irreverent. It is immensely moving; an eloquently serious rock opera by two young Britishers, Andrew Kinsolving Webber and Tim Rice, which achieved a gold record (one million sold) within two months of its being issued in the States. And in what appears to this writer to be a thoroughly sincere and respectful effort to express The Passion narrative in (very) modern idiom, "Jesus Christ, Superstar" seems no more irreverent than translating the Gospels into English (for which men were once burned at the stake).

This opera will hardly displace Bach's St. Matthew Passion — despite Transcontinental Music company's eastern division buyer Woody Howard. Woody waxed aye in writing: "The secular works of Bach, Beethoven, Handel and other composers suddenly become relegated to the class of mundane composition."

LEGITIMATE EFFORT

Nor will the classic beauty of the King James Version of the Bible ever be superseded by any of the current rash of new translations — however valuably they modernize the Holy Scriptures. "Superstar," not being bound to the manuscripts, is able to modernize ever further — in what can be recognized as a legitimate effort at a 20th Century version. For example:

● Calaphas to Judas: "This isn't blood money — it's a fee, nothing more." (Crowd: "Good old Judas!")

● Pilate to Jesus: "You're in deep trouble friend; how can someone in your state be so cool about his fate?"

● Jesus (in some intriguing and valuable exegesis by the lyricist): "Save tomorrow for tomorrow, think about today

instead . . . Surely you're not saying we have the resources to save the poor from their lot? . . . For all you care this wine could be my blood — this bread could be my body."

One high point of the opera is the characterization of Herod, whose jaded and biting mockery comes alive in an inimitable rag:

"So you are the Christ, you're the great Jesus Christ! . . . Prove to me that you're no fool: walk across my swimming pool. . . . Prove to me that you're divine: change my water into wine! . . . Feed my household with this bread — you can do it on your head! . . . Come on, King of The Jews!"

The other pinnacle is the hauntingly beautiful love song of Mary Magdalene — utterly devoid of the cheap sensuousness often accompanying the titillating theme of divine seduction. Rather it is akin to generations of women who suffered the emotional agony of falling in love with a priest who is loyally devoted to celibacy:

"I don't know how to love him. . . . Should I bring him down? Should I scream and shout? Should I speak of love — let my feelings out? . . . He scares me so . . . I want him so . . . I love him so."

NO RESURRECTION

What is particularly remarkable is this Passion Play ending with the death of Jesus — there is not even a hint of the Resurrection. This serves to change the Gospel ("the good news") into a one act tragedy: a Superstar that went out; the light that faded.

And while tragedy is a basic theatrical art form, there should be some reason for such significant remembrance — particularly in consideration of Anatole France's poignant story of Pontius Pilate in retirement. When asked if he remembers Jesus whom he crucified, Pilate replies:

"There were so many crucifixions."

For Webber and Rice would never have heard of this Superstar had it not been for agnostics like Thomas Didymus ("Doubting Thomas") examining Crucifixion wounds and then, for no material or political gain, bearing witness to the Resurrection, at the cost of their lives — this during the age of the original Skeptics (such as Socrates) and 300 years after Aristotle, the father of science.

JAY BECKER

Contract Bridge

West dealer.
Both sides vulnerable

NORTH
♠ K 9 4
♥ K 8 7 3
♦ A Q J 5
♣ J 4

WEST
♠ A Q 2
♥ J 9
♦ 10 8 6 3
♣ A K 7 3

EAST
♠ 8 3
♥ Q 10 8 5 2
♦ 7 4 2
♣ 9 8 5

SOUTH
♠ J 10 8 7 5
♥ A 4
♦ K 9
♣ 10 6 2

The bidding:
West North East South
1♣ 1♦ 1♥ 1♠
Pass 3♣ Pass 4♣

Opening lead—king of clubs.

Of course, one constantly aims for perfection, but it is a difficult goal to attain in bridge.

Consider this deal where West

led the K-A and another club. Declarer won in his hand and realized he could not tackle trumps at once because West might go up with the ace and lead a fourth club, forcing dummy to ruff.

Accordingly, South first cashed the K-A-Q of diamonds, discarding his last club, then played a heart to the ace and returned the jack of spades. West rose with the ace and returned the jack of hearts to dummy's king, producing this four-card position:

North
♠ K 9
♥ K 8
♦ J
♣ —

West
♠ Q 2
♥ Q 10
♦ 10
♣ 7

East
♠ 8
♥ 6
♦ Q 10 9
♣ —

South
♠ J 10 8 7 5
♥ —
♦ —
♣ —

Declarer now had to return to his hand for the crucial spade finesse, but unluckily — though reasonably — he elected to ruff a heart. West overruffed and the contract went down one. Had South exited with a diamond instead, he would have made the contract.

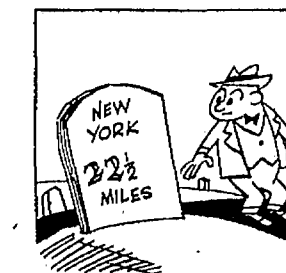
While it is true that declarer played very well by disposing of his fourth club before tackling trumps, the fact remains that he should not have created a predicament where he was forced to guess which suit to lead from dummy in the position above.

Instead of crossing to his hand at trick seven with a heart to the ace, declarer should first have cashed the king of hearts, then led a heart to the ace. Had he made this far-sighted play, West would not have been able to put him into dummy to go wrong.

WILLIAM RITT

You're Telling Me!

Nevada slot machine are being robbed of more than \$10 million a year, casino operators there complain. Apparently, the so-called "one-armed bandits" are no match for the two-armed variety.



mistrust of fancy food and a delight in fantasy; 3. Apathy toward children and affection for vegetation; 4. And above all — a passion for very private lives and most peculiar attitude toward sex."

A movie star who never stops shooting off her mouth on TV talk shows and interview sessions pouts that she's going to be more inaccessible from now on. "It's getting so," she complains, "that they're quoting me correctly!"

BENNET CERF

Try And Stop Me

When Marc Connelly was presented with a gift membership in the National Geographic Society, he wrote to the donor, Frank Sullivan, expressing the hope: "May I conduct myself so worthily as a member of this Society, he wrote to the donor, can be written, 'New York, 22 1/2 miles.'"

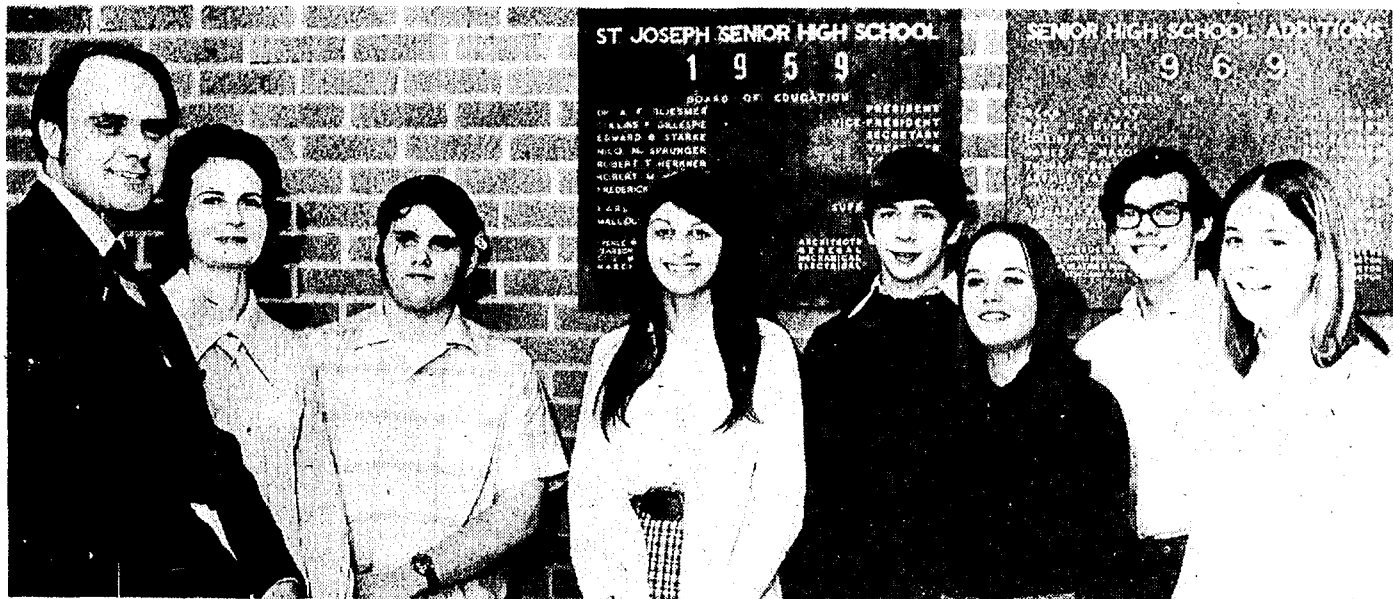
Sir Anthony Glyn's new book, "Portrait of a People," is a revealing study of the British by an insider. Glyn is, among other things, a grandson of Elinor Glyn, whose "Three Weeks" was considered daring when it hit best sellerdom years ago, but today, might be classified as an English "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm." It was of Miss Glyn that a rhymster inquired, "Do you like to sin, with Elinor Glyn, on a tiger skin, or do you prefer some other fun?"

At any rate, Sir Anthony notes as particularly salient British traits: "1. A love for animals (a kinship with all speechless creatures — with minerals loved even more — and for the same reason); 2. A

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READY TO GO TO WORK: Fifty-six St. Joseph high school students have signed up for the co-op program, which combines work and study. Students actually work at jobs in which they have a particular interest. William Weirick, co-op coordinator, said interviews are underway now for summer jobs. Interest has been expressed, Weirick said, in such diverse occupations as veterinary assistant, secretarial work, building trades, drafting,

nursing, electronics, auto mechanics, machine trades. From left are Weirick, Mrs. Erna Friesen, high school counselor; Guy Lewis, auto mechanic; Francie Bartalone, secretary; Jim De-Whitt, lab technician; Kathy Welscher, secretary; Richard Johnson, architectural draftsman and Joeline Burm, secretary. (Staff photo)

Benton Woman Killed As Auto Overtakes On I-94 Pipestone Viaduct

Berrien sheriff's officers reported Mrs. Frances Gertrude Dohm, 55, of box 609, Roslin road, Benton township, died late Friday night when her auto glanced off another vehicle on I-94, struck a guard rail and overturned.

Lt. Ron Schalton said the accident was reported at 11:13 p.m., and occurred in the eastbound lane of the I-94 freeway overpass above Pipestone road in Benton township.

Mrs. Dohm was alone in her convertible.

Two occupants of the other auto were uninjured, Schalton reported.

Mrs. Dohm was the 14th person to die so far this year in traffic accidents on Berrien county roads. She was pronounced dead on arrival at Mercy hospital.

Schalton said Mrs. Dohm was driving east on the freeway's inner lane, when her auto went out of control on slippery pavement and struck the side of an auto, driven eastward on the outside lane by Mrs. Esther F. Huber, 58, route 1, East Leroy, Mich. The Dohm auto then struck a guardrail and rolled over, being demolished. Schalton said Mrs. Dohm apparently was hurled through the top of the convertible. She was found about ten feet from her car.

Minor damage to the Huber vehicle sustained only minor damages, and neither Mrs. Huber nor her husband, Robert Huber, 60, a passenger, was injured. Schalton said the accident occurred on a curve. He listed slippery highway and speed of the Dohm auto as factors.

Mrs. Dohm was born August 1, 1915. She was married September 8, 1934, in Michigan City to Harold E. Dohm, who died Jan. 22, 1970.

Surviving are her mother, Mrs. Emma Abbott of Benton Harbor; a brother, Clifford Abbott of Evergreen Park, Ill., and a sister, Mrs. Joseph

(Marion) Gargano of St. Joseph. Arrangements are incomplete at Florin funeral home.

Metal Spills, BH Firemen Stand By

Benton Harbor firemen at 9:10 p.m. Friday, assisted at Benton Harbor Malleable Industries, 171 Graham avenue, when molten metal spilled onto the floor from a holding oven in a furnace.

Firemen said employees diked the floor area around the furnace with sand to prevent the molten metal from spreading over the room. Firemen said the spillage occurred when a lift truck struck the furnace. The danger, firemen reported, stemmed from the possible rupturing by heat of water or gas lines near the hot metal. This did not occur.

Navy Flier Stops Here On Flight



Lt. REX KIBLER

Lt. J.G. Rex W. Kibler, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Kibler of 1159 Monroe street, Benton Harbor, arrived in the Twin Cities Friday on a cross-country pilot proficiency training flight.

Lt. Kibler, 25, serves as navigator on the U.S. Navy T-28 aircraft which is on a 1,948 mile, four-day mission from its duty station at Whiting Field naval air station in Florida.

He will visit with his parents during the stopover. The return trip to Florida began at 10:30 a.m. Saturday with one scheduled stop planned for Pittsburgh, Pa.

A 1963 graduate of Benton Harbor high school, Lt. Kibler received a BA degree in business administration from Michigan State university in 1968. He enlisted in the Naval Reserve in 1963 and received his commission from the U.S. Naval Officer Candidate School in Newport, R. I. on March 14, 1969.

He is married to the former Janice Steine of Detroit. They live at the Pensacola Naval air station in Florida.

Employees Take Course In First Aid

PAW PAW — Eleven employees of the Ellingsworth company here have completed a 10-hour course in standard first aid training. The classes were conducted over a five-week period in the firm's offices.

The employees are Betty Bloemer, Evelyn Kelly, Jacqueline Quan, Marie Cunningham, Ann Penton, Katherine Grybus, Jeannette Skinner, Nancy Teremi, Sue Tilsten, Ila Ploch and Ann Leffler. Nova Brucks of the Deatur high school also took part in the training and received her certificate.

School Board To Meet Monday

SOUTH HAVEN — The South Haven board of education will hold its regular monthly meeting Monday at 7:30 p.m. in the superintendent's office. The board was scheduled to meet April 12 but the date was changed because of spring vacation conflicts.

POLICE ROUNDUP Officers Seeking 3 Persons In Hagar Twp. Assaults

Berrien county sheriff's officers said they are looking for three persons believed involved in two assault reports investigated early this morning on Fikes road in Hagar township.

Deputy Robert Greer said James Allen, 22, Coloma, and his brother-in-law, Jimmy Mullins, 18, route 2, Coloma, were attacked about 1:50 a.m. outside a home on Fikes road. Greer said the victims reported the

attack occurred when they went outside to investigate an auto parked across the driveway. Assaults were described as three white youths, who wielded baseball bats and sticks. Greer said Allen and Mullins sustained bruises, but declined medical treatment.

Deputy Don Zwar reported that about 2 a.m., Kenneth W. McCuen, 21, of 1191 M-139, Benton township, also was at-

lacked at about the same location and told officers three persons were involved. Zwar said McCuen was treated for bruises at Mercy hospital and released. The officers said they were told there was no apparent motive in the assaults. The assaults occurred outside the Triangle bar.

Benton Harbor police Friday investigated the theft of equipment during a burglary at Tri-County Community Action program (Tri-CAP) office, 720 East Main street.

Ocie Mitchell, director of the anti-poverty agency's Neighborhood Youth Corps program, told police items taken from his office included two radio intercoms, a postage meter and a clock radio. Value of the items was not determined.

Police said entry was through a window on the east side of the building. It was the second burglary at the Tri-CAP office within the past month.

Mrs. Mary Lee Johnson, 21, 265 Ross street, told city police Friday that \$63 in food stamps had been taken from a mailbox, 814 Columbus avenue, where she resided until Monday.

The report of a fight early this morning at the Esquire bar, 190 Territorial road, led to the arrest of two persons, booked by city police on charges of drunk and disorderly. Arrested were Jerry Dildine, 25, of 669 Euclid, Benton township; and Ernest Aisup, 26, Millburg. Police said the two were found on the floor of the bar fighting when officers arrived.

Berrien sheriff's officers this morning said they arrested Loris S. Loy, 67, box 156, Shore lane, Watervliet, on a charge of driving while impaired through drinking. Loy was arrested about 12:45 a.m. on Park drive at Shore lane.

Benton Harbor police Friday night arrested Terrance Bradford, 27, of 1316 Michigan, St. Joseph, on a charge of driving while his license was suspended. Officers said Bradford was stopped about 7:35 p.m. while driving north on Second, across Main street. He was stopped because one headlight was out, police reported.

Two Hurt When Truck Overtakes

A LaPorte, Ind., truck driver and his daughter were injured Friday, when a semi truck, loaded with castings overturned on I-196, near I-94 in Benton township.

Township police said the driver, Lloyd G. Johnson, 42, and his daughter, Belinda Johnson, 16, were treated at Mercy hospital, and released.

Police said the truck, owned by Casting Service Corp., LaPorte, was being driven northward on I-196 on the overpass above I-94, when it skidded on slippery pavement and overturned. Police said the castings spilled into the median area where the truck came to rest. The accident was reported at 7:16 a.m.

Whirlpool Operations To Resume

Ted Daniels, director of manufacturing for Whirlpool's St. Joseph division, today announced that operations in all plants will resume Monday, April 5. Employees are asked to report at their regularly scheduled hours.

Repairs have been made to the system damaged by fire Thursday and tests indicate that the operation meets the necessary requirements to function properly.

Investigation continues at the St. Joseph division to determine the reason for Thursday's fire, which broke out in the Plant 4 oven control room.

Division employees worked around the clock to make repairs in the fire-damaged unit of the plant.

Marijuana Charges To Be Dropped

A recent Michigan court of appeals decision will result in the dropping of a marijuana possession charge against a Winnetka, Ill., youth arrested in Benton township in 1969.

John Smietanka, assistant Berrien prosecutor, said a charge of possessing marijuana against Thomas Orr Peck, 23, will be dropped since the appeals court ruled that alleged marijuana seized by state police who stopped a car containing Orr two years ago was obtained illegally.

However, convictions on lesser charges will continue to stand — unless changed by further court action — for two defendants convicted of lesser offenses, Smietanka said.

They are Sheldon Mittleman and Robert Litwin, both 23 and both then of Ann Arbor. Both pleaded guilty in 1969 to charges of conspiring to use marijuana and drew fines and cost. Mittleman also was placed on probation. Litwin also reportedly lost, under state law permitting police to impound cars used in connection with narcotics offenses, a 1969 auto valued at \$3,600.

"The searcher must have in mind some reasonably specific thing he is looking for and reasonable grounds to believe it is in the place being searched," the appeals court held in Peck's case.

"There is no showing in the instant case that the officers had any reason to believe that there was contraband in the automobile."

New Buffalo Cheerleaders

NEW BUFFALO — Cheerleaders for the 1971-72 school year have been selected at New Buffalo high school. The varsity squad consists of Lily Morrison, Jackie Elliott, Terri Buller, Donna Krueger, Debbie Newhouse, Theresa Ramsby, Katha Kismann and Sandra Jones.

The junior varsity squad consists of Peggy Rubenacker, Lisa Siebenmark, Wendy Oney, Nancy Dunkel, Paula Zboril and Patty Kail.



BODY SHOP OFFICERS: The Berrien County Auto Body Association, formed in 1966 to help member body shops in technical advancement, has new officers for 1971. From left: vice president, Wesley Eichler, proprietor of Eichler's body shop in Sodus; president, Robert Fulkerson, co-owner of Selfridge body shop on M-139; and secretary-treasurer, James Dlouhy, owner of Lake Shore body shop near Stevensville.

Body Shops Assist Training Program At BH Skill Center

The Berrien County Auto Body Association is working with Skill Center of the Benton Harbor schools to set up a training program for young men coming into the business, according to Gene Karsten, former president and one of the founders of the association.

The Auto Body Association, consisting of 25 area body shops, will work in an advisory capacity with the Skills Center in setting up the technical

training program, Karsten said. "It takes five years to train a qualified body man in welding, metal working, frame aligning and painting processes," Karsten said. Some knowledge of the field before starting work is a necessity today, he added.

The association tried an on-the-job-training program through the federal government, but it proved unworkable. Too much technical knowledge is required, Karsten explained.

Auto body repair classes are now being taught at the Skill Center. The association is seeking greater coordination between school and business.

The association is also working on plans to establish an advanced skills program through the government. This would give skilled men already in the business an opportunity to assimilate new ideas that the major auto companies add to their models each year," Karsten explained.

The purpose of the two training programs is to upgrade service for customers by providing the specialists needed to do auto body work, Karsten said. "The auto body field is a major industry today. About \$3 million in auto repair work is done in this area every year," Karsten said. The body shop field has to progress to meet its ever enlarging role, he added.

The association was formed in 1966 to provide an exchange of ideas and new techniques for members, Karsten said. Member companies meet once a month to discuss and assist in solving mutual problems in the body field, and they also work together to promote trade through advertising and use of the most efficient methods of shop management, Karsten explained.

The association has a membership drive in progress for the Niles-Buchanan area. Most of the member companies now come from the Twin Cities, Karsten said.

Council Changes Meeting Date

SOUTH HAVEN — The regular meeting of the city council has been changed from Monday to Tuesday because of the general election. The council will convene at 7:30 p.m. in the council chambers.

Coloma Jaycees Seek State Grant For Park

COLOMA — Coloma Jaycees Vice President Gary Scholl reported Friday that an application for a grant from the state recreation bond fund was filed by the April 1 deadline for developing a park on South Church street.

Scholl said, "We filed the application by the deadline and now we'll wait and see what happens."

Scholl said the grant request called for \$6,700 from the recreation bond fund, which if approved, will be used to purchase playground equipment for the proposed park.

Coloma Jaycees were given the go-ahead by the Coloma city commission in mid-March to apply for the grant money.

The commission designated the Jaycees as the authorized agents of the city to seek the funds from the state recreation bond fund in order to establish a park at the site of the old city water wells.

The proposed park site is located on less than two acres of city-owned property and will soon be vacated after a new city garage is completed on North street.

The Jaycees agreed to help Coloma officials late last year in developing a park, and raised \$500 toward the project by selling Christmas trees.

Plans call for the installing of playground equipment, picnic tables, barbecue pits and a fountain. Coloma city officials turned thumbs down on two requests for purchasing the property last year made by realtors interested in constructing either a laundromat or a complex of homes on the site.

Coloma Mayor Glenn Randall suggested that the area would be an ideal spot for the development of a park, and his idea was well received by city commissioners.



FIRST SERVICE: Members of the Hope Reformed church in South Haven will hold their first services Sunday in the new \$175,000 colonial-style sanctuary on Monroe boulevard at Lovejoy street. A cornerstone laying ceremony will follow the regular 10

a.m. worship service. The new sanctuary will seat 300 persons, more than double the size of the old church which the congregation used for 99 years. (Tom Renner photo)

Decatur Names Top Students

DECATUR — Kermit Loeser has been named valedictorian and Sue Ann Knoska, salutatorian, of the 1971 graduating class at Decatur high school.

Harold Groendyk, principal at Decatur high school, announced the selections in reporting the top 10 students of the class according to scholastic records.

Loeser, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Loeser, route 3, county road 669, Decatur, plans to enter Michigan State university or the Air Force after graduation.

He is a past class secretary and student council representative and was a member of the baseball team during his sophomore and junior years. He is also a member of the National Honor Society.

Miss Knoska, a member of the junior and senior bands for nine years where she's played a flute, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Knoska, route 1, Decatur.

She was a member of the all school plays for two years and was an alternate delegate to Camp Minnawanka during her junior year. A member of the National Honor Society, she was a member of the senior play and is a member of the Pep club and All-Star band. She is a member of the United Presbyterian church of Decatur and is first vice president of the church youth fellowship.

She plans to attend Oakland university in Rochester and major in sociology.

The other eight honor students are Robert Stanek, Ca-



KERMIT LOESER
Valedictorian



SUE ANN KNOSKA
Salutatorian

therine Mroczek, Rudolph Neumeier, Vicki Newell, Nancy Adduci, Michael Fisher, Kathy Carlson and Audrey Perry.

Paxson To Chair Scout Show

Howard Paxson, president of Paxson Advertising, St. Joseph, is chairman of Expo '71, the Boy Scout pageant which will be held May 22 at the Youth Fair grounds, Berrien Springs.

Paxson's appointment was announced today by George Mitchell, president of the Southwestern Michigan Council, Boy Scouts of America. Mitchell said Paxson has been involved in scouting for more than 30 years, has served as council president and is currently a member of the executive committee.

Assisting Paxson are George Dey, of Dey Brothers Funeral home, St. Joseph, and Richard Judd Jr., president of Judd Lumber Company, Dowagiac, as vice chairman for promotion and vice chairman for production. Alden Bierman, of Benton Harbor, a long time scoutmaster with nearly 40 years of leadership experience, is also serving as vice chairman for production.

The Boy Scout Show, known this year as, "The Now Americans in Action-Expo '71," will have the largest display of Boy Scouting activities of any previous show held locally. Packs, Troops, and Explorer Posts will demonstrate scouting in action. A continuous little theater program will feature the colorful Camp Madron Indian Dancers and other young men in skits and musical events.

Parents Will Meet Teachers At New Buffalo

NEW BUFFALO — Elementary parent-teacher conferences are scheduled to start Monday at the New Buffalo schools.

Kindergarten, second and fourth grade conferences are to be held Monday. Conferences in third and fifth grade will be held Tuesday. Conferences for the first grade will be held later in April, according to school principal James Liska.

Coloma Seeking \$2,050 For Ambulance Service

COLOMA — Letters will be mailed out to some 2,000 households Monday kicking off a public drive to raise \$2,050 to operate the Coloma emergency ambulance service.

Jack Atherton, president of the nonprofit corporation, said the letters, report on the service activities and request continued community support for the all-volunteer operation.

A 1971 budget by Larry Williamson, secretary-treasurer, listed expenses for the year at just under \$2,100. According to Atherton, during the past 24 months the service has averaged 14 calls per month.



HOWARD PAXSON

Covert School Tax Vote Monday

COVERT — School district voters here will be asked to approve the renewal of an eight-mill levy for operating funds at a special school election Monday.

Registered voters can cast ballots at the Covert township hall from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. Renewal of the levy is being sought for three years. Superintendent Dr. Lewis Wood said the eight mills would bring about \$312,000 to the district for operating funds.

The eight mills expired with the December, 1970, tax levy. They were part of a total millage rate of 24.68 mills that included one mill for debt retirement. A mill equals \$1 per \$1,000 valuation of property by the state equalized valuation.

Last year voters approved a seven-mill levy for operating funds. That levy will expire in 1972.

Dr. Wood asked for approval of the eight-mill levy to maintain current school programs.

Emergency Crawford, school board president, said a number of unforeseeable events occurred last year which

Man Accused In Bank Bilking Of \$754,000

BAY CITY (AP)—A supplier of equipment to treasurer hunters around the country is free on \$25,000 bond today after being charged in an alleged scheme to bilk a small-town Michigan bank of three-quarters of a million dollars.

Gene C. Ballinger, 43, stood mute Friday at his arraignment in U.S. District Court on a 28-count indictment for mail fraud in what the government described as a \$1 million check kiting scheme.

U.S. Atty. Ralph Guy said the alleged scheme involved the Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Hale and the Peoples State Bank of nearby East Tawas.

The indictment charges that Ballinger opened accounts in both banks. He would then, the court papers said, write a check, for which there were insufficient funds, on one account and cover it before it cleared with another bank check written on the second bank. Provided the timing was right and nothing else went wrong, the process could continue indefinitely and involve larger and larger amounts.

CHECK BOUNCED
Bank and government officials refuse to say what caused the alleged scheme to break down. But one source said an error in bank processing caused a delay in crediting of a deposit, bounc-

ing the check that a depositor had a loss of nearly \$754,000 was to have covered. when the alleged kiting was Guy said the Hale bank sub-discovered. Richard Parkinson,

vice president of the bank, said the customer, whom he declined to identify, was paying back the bank's losses.

"We are still quite optimistic about a sizeable, if not full, recovery," Parkinson said. Parkinson said that despite the loss, the bank was found to be in sound condition by examiners from the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. and the Michigan Bureau of Financial Institutions, adding, "We are back to normal operations."

Parkinson was reluctant to discuss the case, saying details would be revealed first to stockholders at a special meeting within the next two weeks.

STARTED IN 1967
Guy said the alleged scheme was started in 1967 and involved a total of about \$1 million in kited checks.

Ballinger is head of the Amateur Treasurers Hunters Association, Inc., a group which sells treasure hunting apparatus to its members. He said the group had assets of \$1 million.

"So if I owed half a million, I'd still be half a million ahead," Ballinger said before his indictment.

Ballinger, of Tawas City, waived his right to grand jury appearance at his arraignment before Judge Stephen Roth. No trial date was set.

Tougher Pollution Regulations Asked

WASHINGTON (AP)—Federal water quality standards are inadequate to deal with the ecological emergency facing Lake Michigan, say eight senators from surrounding states.

In a letter to William Ruckelshaus, administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, Robert Jordon, Army counsel, and Russell Train, chairman of the President's Council on Environmental Quality, they asked for tougher dumping regulations than those contained in the administration's proposed Refuse Act Permit Program.

That proposal would tie permits to water quality standards. The senators urged that dumping permits "require the use of the best available and feasible technology . . . for recycling, reuse or treatment of pollutants within the shortest practical time."

"Exceptional steps must be taken . . . because in Lake Michigan there is practically no flow-through or flushing action," said Sen. Charles H. Percy, R-Ill. "The lake is now at the critical point of possible irreversible change where failure to take extraordinary steps will doom all hope of saving the lake."

The letter also was signed by Sen. Adlai E. Stevenson III, D-Ill., Robert P. Griffin, R-Mich., Philip Hart, D-Mich., Gaylord Nelson, D-Wis., William Proxmire, D-Wis., Birch Bayh, D-Ind., and Vance Hartke, D-Ind.

Election Races In Buchanan Five Candidates For Two Posts

BUCHANAN—City voters here go to the polls Monday to pick two city commissioners from among five candidates.

The five, all newcomers for city office, are seeking to fill

seats now held by Maurice Nelson and Trent Hall who are not running for re-election. The posts are for three years.

Polls will be open at four locations from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. Ballots can be cast at the city fire station, precinct one; Moe-casin elementary school, precinct two; UAW union hall, precinct three and Stark school, precinct four.

City clerk Raymond Suabedissen said about one third of the city's 1,963 registered voters are expected to turn out to vote.

Candidates are Mrs. Mildred Anderson, 59, of 301 North Detroit street, executive director of the Girl Scouts of Southwestern Michigan; Clarence Bibbs, 29, of 428 Artie street, a machine repairman apprentice at Clark Equipment company; Virgil S. Carley, 45, of 303 West Front street, manager of the finance processing department of Clark Equipment company; Edwin R. Pazder, 69, of 309 North Oak street, retired foreman from Clark where he was employed over 40 years; and James E. Renbarger, 38, of 417 West Front street, a tool maker with Advance Engineering company in Niles.

If elected, Mrs. Anderson will become the first woman in Buchanan's history to sit on the city commission.

City voters will vote using the punch-card voting system first used by the city last year. The cards will be processed through a computer at Inter-City Bank, Benton Harbor. Members of the city's receiving and certification committee are Mrs. Elizabeth Furner, Mrs. Ethel Forbes and Mrs. Alice Morrow. They will join city clerk Suabedissen in taking the punch cards to the computer for tallying.



MILDRED ANDERSON



CLARENCE BIBBS



VIRGIL S. CARLEY



EDWIN PAZDER



JAMES RENBARGER

Five Seek Three Seats At Bangor

BANGOR — Five candidates, including three incumbents and two newcomers, are seeking election to three seats on the Bangor city council at the city's annual election Monday.

City clerk John McEliduff says a turnout of some 200 to 250 voters is expected at the polls which will be open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. at the town hall.

The three expiring seats on the council are for two-year terms.

Incumbents are Leonard Bartlett, Doyle Disbrow and Elmer Goss. Newcomers are William Scott Kempski and John Van Strien.

Bartlett, owner of a Bangor tavern, resides at 20 East Monroe street. He and his wife have two sons. Disbrow, 47, of 17 West Arlington road, is data processing manager at Du-Wel Metal Products, Bangor. A councilman since 1965, he and his wife have three sons. Goss, 52, a building contractor, lives at 813 West Monroe street. He and his wife have three married daughters and a son.

Two Men Sentenced For Welfare Fraud

Two men were sentenced Friday in Fifth District court for welfare fraud and one man was sentenced for non-support of his family.

Sentenced for welfare fraud under \$500 was David Mortimore, 42, of 1702 East Main street, Niles, to 60 days in jail, one year probation, \$101 fine, and restitution of all money illegally obtained from the Berrien County Social Services department last Aug. 5.

Also sentenced for welfare fraud under \$500 was Robert E. Taylor, 22, of 1018 Buss avenue, Benton Harbor, \$200 and restitution of \$468 obtained from the Berrien County Social Services department last Aug. 5.

Sentenced for disorderly non-support was Sammie Ferguson, 34, of 554 Main street, Benton Harbor, to six months probation, \$50 fine and \$30 in weekly payments for support of his wife and two children, ages 11 and 10. He was charged with not supporting his family since March 1, 1970.

RAILPAX SYSTEM State Must Pay For Extra Routes

LANSING (AP) — Michigan must stand ready to pay for any additional railroad passenger service the National Railpax System agrees to authorize for the state.

This was the outcome of a meeting in Washington, D.C., Thursday between a Michigan delegation and David Kendall, chairman of the National Railpax Passenger Corp. Railpax, said an aide to Gov. William Milliken. The aide, James Kellogg, said the possibility of a six-state proposal for a Buffalo-Chicago route was discussed Friday in Cleveland and that additional meetings would be held.

MICHIGAN ROUTE

He also said discussions were being held with officials of Michigan cities which would be involved in a separate route within the state. This route would tie in at Kalamazoo with the Railpax Detroit - Chicago line. Kellogg said it had not been determined exactly where this line would run, but Pontiac, Flint, Lansing and Grand Rapids are among probabilities.

Railpax is to operate a much-curtailed national rail system

beginning May 1. There are provisions for additional routes to come under the Railpax system, but states and cities involved must agree to subsidize at least two-thirds of the losses.

Kellogg said it would be necessary for the six-state group interested in the Buffalo-Chicago line to get support from their legislatures for a common plan. A formula for financing would have to be worked out, also.

RAPID CHANGE

He said the whole situation is subject to rapid change. For instance, he noted there are proposals in Congress both to delay implementation of the Railpax program and to reduce to one-third the losses states and cities wanting added service would have to guarantee.

The other states involved in a joint route under Railpax would be New York, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Indiana and Illinois.

Michigan would propose to tie into the Buffalo - Chicago route through a Detroit - Toledo link. Kellogg said the key question - aside from getting agreement on routes - is obtaining financial commitments in case of losses.

Odd Birth Creating 'Waves'

QUINCY, Ill. (AP) — Kimberly Sue Bange's birth two weeks ago produced ripples in medical circles and now a dispute over the circumstances of her birth is creating waves.

She was born March 20 in an auto accident that killed her mother and injured her father and three step-brothers. The baby was rushed to a hospital by a passing motorist. She was released last Sunday.

Initial reports indicated the 8-pound 14-ounce infant was forced through her mother's abdominal wall and thrown out of the car by the impact of the crash. She escaped with superficial injuries and doctors termed the birth "medical history."

The Bange family physician says Kimberly Sue popped out of her mother's abdomen "in much the same way that seeds explode from a tomato if it's thrown on the ground."

But the Adams County coroner, Gerald Points, says the mother's abdomen was ripped open when the woman hit the car's dashboard and that the baby was born through a "Caesarean section by violence."

Dr. Ervin Nichols, associate director of the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists in Chicago, says descriptions of the woman's lacerations indicate the baby could have been expelled through the abdomen or the normal birth canal.

But Nichols rejected the theory that the baby was propelled through the abdomen solely by the force of the crash and said, "I've never heard of such a thing. It is the most inconceivable situation."

Dr. Ernst Griep, the family physician who examined Mrs. Robert Bange, 28, a week before the accident, said he believes the baby was born after the mother was thrown through the windshield and hit the ground.

He said he doubts the baby was expelled through the normal birth channel because the child was Mrs. Bange's first and the woman showed "no relaxation of the birth canal."

There's Still A Spark In The Old Girls

DAYTON, Ohio (AP) — The 72-year-old treasurer of a senior citizens' club told police the club's 74-year-old secretary punched her in the mouth Thursday in a dispute over an Easter treat she had brought to a meeting.

Ruth Derringer, who lodged an assault and battery complaint but filed no charges, said two of her teeth were knocked out when she was struck by Josephine S. Melnick.

"Mrs. Melnick was peeved because I bought chocolate eggs instead of plastic eggs with a toy inside, which she wanted," Miss Derringer said.

"We were sitting side by side when suddenly she jumped up and whacked me in the mouth," she said.

"Hard Labor" Not Really Too Hard

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Army says Lt. William L. Calley's sentence to life imprisonment at hard labor doesn't mean he will be "breaking big rocks into little ones."

The military now emphasizes formal schooling or vocational education to assist prisoners "in leading a more useful life and becoming a better citizen upon release," an Army spokesman said Thursday.

Col. Reid W. Kennedy, presiding judge at Calley's court-martial, said half the prisoners at the Ft. Benning, Ga., stockade are in school and hard labor for others means cutting firewood with power saws.

Military law requires the phrase "hard labor" in sentencing, the spokesman said.

Two Michigan Men Killed

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Department of Defense reported two Michigan men killed in action in the Southeast Asian war.

Killed were Sgt. Dennis L. Waskiewicz, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Waskiewicz of Mikado and Pfc. Robert T. Bradley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence F. Bradley of Flint.

SEPH, MICHIGAN AT 7:30 O'CLOCK P.M., March 15, 1971.

PRESENT: MAYOR EHRENBURG, COMMISSIONERS GLOBENSKY AND TOBIAS, L. HILL, CITY MANAGER, A.G. PRESTON, JR., CITY ATTORNEY, CHARLES J. RHODES, DIRECTOR OF FINANCE.

ABSENT: COMMISSIONERS GAST AND SMITH.

Minutes of the meeting held March 8, 1971 were read and approved.

Report of the vouchers to be allowed March 15, 1971 were submitted as follows:

Payroll No. Nos. 13756 - 13770 incl.	45,829.68
Harris Trust & Savings Bank	165.00
Gen. Vo. No. 13771	165.00
First Nat'l Bank of Chicago	9,925.00
Bank of the Commonwealth	302.05
Gen. Vo. No. 13773	

Bills are as follows:

Director of Law	150.00
Director of Finance	87.37
Public Housing Comm.	100.12
Police Dept.	150.44
Traffic	38.27
Cemeteries	58.27
Municipal Bldgs.	186.90
Streets	440.20
Const. of truck garage	4.80
f. Dept. P.W.	1,716.13
Water	3,397.91
Water Filtration	1,109.95
Garbage & Rubbish	113.39
Parks	12.60
Forestry	
Gen. Vo. No. 13774	13,893.75
incl.	7,555.82
	63,777.55

Mr. Tobias, seconded by Mr. Globensky, moved approval of the foregoing report and that the Director of Finance be authorized to issue vouchers in payment of the several amounts. Roll call resulted as follows: Yeas: Commissioners Ehrenberg, Globensky and Tobias. Nays: None. Absent: Commissioners Gast and Smith. Motion declared carried.

The Clerk reported that the Monthly Reports for February, including the Financial, Police, Fire, Sanitary Inspection, Public Works and Water Filtration Plant, have been presented to the Commission.

Mr. Globensky, seconded by Mr. Tobias, moved approval of the foregoing report as presented. Roll call resulted as follows: Yeas: Commissioners Ehrenberg, Globensky and Tobias. Nays: None. Absent: Commissioners Gast and Smith. Motion declared carried.

WHEREAS the Department of State Highways is willing to issue a permit therefore provided that the said applicant will provide indemnity and protection against all liability arising by reason of Michigan law, NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Commission of the City of St. Joseph, Michigan, that in consideration of the Michigan Department of State Highways granting a permit to the City of St. Joseph upon proper application therefore to hold the parade May 8, 1971, along and upon the right-of-way of State Highway 94, in the City of St. Joseph, Michigan, the City of St. Joseph will save harmless and indemnify all persons against all liability which arises

proposal contract.

Mr. Globensky, seconded by Mr. Tobias, moved to grant the request of the St. Joseph Art Association, Inc. to hold its 10th Annual Outdoor Art Fair in Lake Front Park on Sunday July 11, 1971 or July 19, 1971 in case of rain. Roll call resulted as follows: Yeas: Commissioners Ehrenberg, Globensky and Tobias. Nays: None. Absent: Commissioners Gast and Smith. Motion declared carried.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS the City of St. Joseph in the County of Berrien, Michigan, desires to hold the Blossomtime Parade, May 8, 1971, from 9:00 A.M. until 5:00 P.M. within the right-of-way of State Trunkline Highway 94, which is under the jurisdiction of the Michigan Department of State Highways and

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or which might arise due to the passage along State Highway 94 as stated in the application and permit.

Mr. Ehrenberg, seconded by Mr. Tobias, moved approval of the foregoing resolution. Roll call resulted as follows: Yeas: Commissioners Ehrenberg, Globensky and Tobias. Nays: None. Absent: Commissioners Gast and Smith. Motion declared carried.

The City Manager presented the following bids on a New Police car to replace No. 10.

Richard Ford, Inc.	\$2,023.88
Ned Gates Chevrolet	\$1,920.89
General Auto Sales	\$2,000.00
Roti Motors Inc.	\$1,862.17

and recommended the low bid be accepted.

Mr. Ehrenberg, seconded by Mr. Tobias, moved to accept the bid of Roti Motors, Inc. for \$1,862.17 and authorized the purchase. Roll call resulted as follows: Yeas: Commissioners Ehrenberg, Globensky and Tobias. Nays: None. Absent: Commissioners Gast and Smith. Motion declared carried.

RESOLUTION APPROVING PROPOSED 1-94BL CONCEPT

WHEREAS at a conference of the Planning Commissions and other officials of the City of Benton Harbor, City of St. Joseph, Township of Benton and Township of St. Joseph, as well as members of the Cities Chamber of Commerce, ARIC, and other interested citizens held December 9, 1970, a proposal by the firm of Harland, Bartholomew & Associates, for the relocation of a limited access BL for I-94 highway (BL 1-94) was approved, and

WHEREAS the Planning Commission of the City of St. Joseph approved the concept of the relocation of BL 1-94 in the northern location (along the St. Joseph River) on December 3, 1970, and

WHEREAS the City Commission of the City of Benton Harbor has also approved the concept of the relocation of BL 1-94 in the northern location, and

WHEREAS the City Commission is fully advised in the premises

THEREFORE RESOLVED that the City Commission of the City of St. Joseph hereby approves the concept of the relocation of BL 1-94 in the northern location as proposed by the planning firm of Harland, Bartholomew & Associates, and approved by the Planning Commission of the City of St. Joseph.

Mr. Tobias, seconded by Mr. Globensky, moved approval of the foregoing resolution. Roll call resulted as follows: Yeas: Commissioners Ehrenberg, Globensky and Tobias. Nays: None. Absent: Commissioners Gast and Smith. Motion declared carried.

The Mayor complimented the House of David on the good job of removing the old Preserving Building on Broad Street in this City.

Commissioner Tobias warned the public to remove any down spouts which are connected to the public Sewer System.

There being no further business to come before the Commission, Mr. Tobias moved to adjourn until Monday, March 22, 1971 at 7:30 P.M.

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spaces in the city parking lot at the corner rear of the building be denied and recommended that there be a larger number of 2-hour parking spaces installed in city-owned lots.

After discussion, Mr. Tobias, seconded by Mr. Smith recommended that the request of LeRoy Hornack and the owners of the 505 building be denied. Roll call resulted as follows: Yeas: Commissioners Ehrenberg, Globensky, Smith and Tobias. Nays: None. Absent: None. Motion declared carried.

Mr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Tobias, then moved that the proposed changes for two-hour and other restricted parking in the city-owned lots be laid on the table.

Roll call resulted as follows: Yeas: Commissioners Ehrenberg, Globensky, Smith and Tobias. Nays: None. Absent: None. Motion declared carried.

The City Manager presented the following bids on a new lawn mower

& Garden Equip.	\$1,467.75
Chemco, Inc.	\$1,521.00

Mr. Gast, seconded by Mr. Globensky moved to accept the bid of Chemco, Inc. Roll call resulted as follows: Yeas: Commissioners Ehrenberg, Globensky, Smith and Tobias. Nays: None. Absent: None. Motion declared carried.

The Manager read a communication from St. Peter's United Church of Christ requesting a special use permit to permit the conversion of property at 701 Church Street at the Southeast corner of Church and Pearl Sts. in the City of St. Joseph to be used as a parking lot for church members.

After discussion, Mr. Tobias, seconded by Mr. Globensky, moved that the request be referred to the City Planning Commission.

Roll call resulted as follows: Yeas: Commissioners Ehrenberg, Globensky, Smith and Tobias. Nays: None. Absent: None. Motion declared carried.

Mr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Globensky moved to grant the request of Blossomtime, Inc. to hold the Kiddies Parade on Thursday, May 6, 1971 at 3:30 P.M. in downtown St. Joseph. Roll call resulted as follows: Yeas: Commissioners Ehrenberg, Globensky, Smith and Tobias. Nays: None. Absent: None. Motion declared carried.

Mr. Tobias, seconded by Mr. Smith moved that the Commission congratulate Miss Becky Roberts on her selection as Miss St. Joseph to represent our City in the Blossomtime Festivities.

Roll call resulted as follows: Yeas: Commissioners Ehrenberg, Globensky, Smith and Tobias. Nays: None. Absent: None. Motion declared carried.

Mayor Ehrenberg praised the work of the St. Joseph Fire Department in extinguishing the fire at 613-615 Pleasant Street on Sunday March 21, 1971.

There being no further business to come before the Commission, Mr. Tobias moved to adjourn until Monday, March 22, 1971 at 7:30 P.M.

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each of them, shall cause their appearance to be made in said matter on or before the date set for hearing, and if they fail to do so, they shall answer said Petition for condemnation and show cause, if any they, or each of them, have against the same.

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ATTYS: Killian, Spelman, Taglia.

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IT IS ORDERED, that on the 12th day of April, 1971, at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon, in the Probate Court room in the Courthouse, St. Joseph, Michigan, a hearing be held on the Petition of the Indiana & Michigan Electric Company to condemn a right-of-way easement for the construction and maintenance of an electric power line for transmission of electricity for public use, together with certain rights and appurtenances thereto, as more particularly described in the Petition of said Indiana & Michigan Electric Company heretofore filed in this matter in accordance with the provisions of Act 238 of the Public Acts of 1923 of the State of Michigan, such Petition concerning lands located in the Township of Lake, Berrien County, Michigan, and in which lands Kenneth J. Kordeck and Betty Kordeck, husband and wife, and the Federal Land Bank of St. Paul, a body corporate, have an interest, and

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